

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-001

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Postal Rate and Fees Changes, 1997)
Docket No. R97-1
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NOTICE OF INTERVENTION BY
EDISON ELECTRIC INSTITUTE

Pursuant to section 20 of the Commission's rules of practice, Edison Electric Institute ("EEI"), the association of shareholder-owned electric companies, affiliates, and associates worldwide, hereby gives notice of its intervention in the captioned proceeding. EEI has a direct interest in the request of the United States Postal Service for a recommended decision on changes in postage rates and fees. Moreover, EEI is concerned with costing and pricing issues raised by Postal Service's filing generally and, in particular, as they affect first-class mail.

Service of documents in this proceeding should be on the following individuals:

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EEI requests a hearing to address the issues raised by Postal Service's filing. EEI intends to participate actively in such hearing.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the rules of practice.



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August 12, 1997